GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5701
ANSWERED ON:16.05.2007
ISSUE OF PASSPORTS/ VISAS TO PASSENGERS OF SAMJHAUTA EXPRESS
Pathak Shri Brajesh;Shiwankar Shri Maha Deo Rao

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether passengers travelling in Samjhauta Express have been issued special passports and visas;

(b) if so, the details thereof including the number of passports and visas issued by the Government;

(c) whether the Government has conducted any investigation into the accident in Samjhauta Express;

(d) if so, whether the Government has received report in this regard;

(e) if so, details thereof; and

(f) the action taken by the Government in this regard ?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

(c)-(f) The investigation is currently in progress.